

Rice & Sons

Dealers In

Groceries and Hardware.

—South Side of Public Square.—

Keep constantly on hand a large and well-selected stock
of these goods and they can offer bargains in line that
cannot be obtained anywhere in Ray county. Call and they
will convince you by giving their

Low Prices.

GLOBE RESTAURANT.



Good Meals on the Shortest Notice. Ice Cream always on
hand. Candy, Cakes, Confectionery, &c.

Fresh Bread.

Can be had at any time. I have a Number One Baker and
a new oven, and my Bread can't be excelled! Call and see me.

T. H. LYNCH.

An East Camden Firm

OFFERS GREAT INDUCEMENTS!

J.R. Akers & Son to the Front!

THIS is to certify that we will, for SPOT CASH, make a deduction of five per
cent. on all goods of regular rates on all sums of \$5.00 or over, with
the exception of Meat and Lard. We have plenty of FIRST-CLASS GOODS and want
to sell them, and feel satisfied that the public cannot do better than to patronize
us. We desire a part of every man's trade, and beg leave of you to give us a fair
trial, and be convinced that we can SAVE YOU MONEY.

P. S.—All parties owing us old notes or accounts can save
time and money by settling them at once. Will give them a
liberal discount by calling and consulting with us. Any and
all kinds of stock accepted on payments.
Yours most respectfully
CAMDEN, Mo., June 1, 1883. J. R. AKERS & SON.

Blacksmithing,

Wagon and Carriage Repair Shop.

Having associated with my Blacksmithing a first-class Wood Workman, we are
now prepared to do all kinds of Repairing in the Wood-Work line.

Horse-Shoeing A Specialty.

Will manufacture Buggies, Cars and Spring Wagons, and everything
pertaining to the Wagon or Carriage Business. We use none but the very best ma-
terial in our work.

PAINTING of all kinds done promptly and in good style at the Lowest Prices.
Give us a Trial
SHOP SOUTH OF WASSON HOUSE.

R. D. ASBURY.

WILLIS WARINNER.

—DEALER IN—

Furniture, Stoves and Tinware

—AND MANUFACTURERS OF—

Copper, Tin and Sheet Ironware

Also keep a full stock of Kitchenware, Tea Kettles, Iron Granite Ware, Sad Iron
Water Coolers, Chamber Potes, etc.

—West side of Public Square.—

RICHMOND, MISSOURI

—Roofing, Guttering and Repairing done on Short Notice.—

HAMACHER'S Roller Mills

RICHMOND, MISSOURI.

Headquarters for Fine Flour.

Manufacture and Keep a Superior Article of

FLOUR and MEAL

—Which We Will Sell For—

CASH OR EXCHANGE

—For Wheat or Corn.—

They have added the Celebrated New Roller Process of making Flour to their
Mill, and can do better work than ever before.

They do exclusively an Exchange business in their Custom Work Department
and guarantee satisfaction.

J. R. HAMACHER & BRO.

C.T. GARNER & SONS, ATTORNEYS AT LAW

RICHMOND, MISSOURI

Will practice in the State and Federal
Courts. Collections promptly attended
to. Office west side of square, first door
north of Darnall's store.

LAVELLOCK & LAVELLOCK,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW AND
NOTARY PUBLIC,

Will practice in the Courts of Ray.
Special attention given Collections.
Upstairs, 3 doors east Hughes' Bank.

E. F. ESTER,
Attorney at Law.

Will attend with diligence and promptness to
all business entrusted to his care. Office up-
stairs in corner building north of Shaw House.

FARRIS & CONROW,
Attorneys at Law

Office over R. Spent's Grocery Store, opposite the
court house.

J. ED BALL,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,

Also Practicing Attorney of Ray county
Office in the court house. Business promptly
attended to.

J. W. SHOTWELL,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,

Will attend promptly to all business entrusted
to his care. Office in building south of the
office.

J. R. HAMILTON,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,

Will practice in all the Courts of the
county and circuit. Special attention
given to collections. Office in C. H.

DR. R. B. KICE,
DENTIST.

Office first door south of Darnall's Store.

J. O. K. GANT,
Physician and Surgeon,

Has permanently located here for the
practice of his profession. Office up-
stairs over Hubbell's store.

C. W. JACOBS,
PHYSICIAN SURGEON,

Office opposite Court House, over E.
Spent's store.

J. M. PAINTER,
PHYSICIAN SURGEON,

Located on Nichols' Farm, 2 miles
East of Millville. Offers his professional
services to the Public in that section.

The following Virginia testify to the
high character, integrity and medical
landings of Dr. Painter: P. S. Blair, At-
torney-Gen. of Va.; J. J. Winston, Repub-
lican of Wythe Co. Va.; Wm. B. Foy,
Co. Clerk Wythe Co. Va.; J. A. P.
McFay, Atty for State and ex-Go.
Judge, Dr. V. C. Huff, Cashier Farmers
Bank, Dr. R. E. Moore, M. D.

D. W. Holt,
TREATS DISEASES OF THE

Stomach, Kidney & Genito-Urinary

ORGANS.

Office over Savings Bank, with Dr.
G. W. Buchanan.

J. S. HUGHES
AND COMPANY.

EXCHANGE

—AND—

BANKING,

RICHMOND, MO.

Do a general Banking business. Buy
and Sell and Exchange Government, State
and County Bonds. Collections made
and Deposits taken.

Ray County

Savings Bank,

RICHMOND, MO.

F. D. WOODSON, Pres't. H. C. GARNER, Cashier

DIRECTORS: H. C. Garner,
William T. Brashers,
C. T. Garner, P. T. Smith,
W. W. Smith, R. J. Williams,
A. K. Reynolds, J. W. Shotwell,
T. H. Woolard, T. D. Woodson.

Abstract Titles

T. N. LAVELLOCK.

I have the Abstract Books belonging
to the state of Geo. N. McGee, dec'd, and
am now prepared to furnish complete
abstract of all lands in Ray County.

T. N. LAVELLOCK.

IF YOU WANT TO BUY Fall and Winter Goods

CHEAP Go to
WOODSON'S!

Our Stock is now complete in
All its Departments.

Dry Goods, Clothing,

Notions, Hats and Caps,

Shoes, Ladies Underwear,

Cloaks, Dolmans, Trunks

Valises, Gents' Furnishing Goods.

GROCERIES, &c.

And in Fact everything to be Found in a

FIRST-CLASS GENERAL STORE.

Our Goods were all bought For CASH, and as our Ex-
penses are Light, we CAN and WILL sell Goods Cheaper
than Anybody. Try us. It will do you Good.

ALL GOODS SOLD GUARANTEED

To be just as represented. Respectfully,

H. P. Woodson.

John P. Quesenberry,

Hardware and Groceries.

SALT.—I will not give my prices as they are frequently changing. In
value, the variety is so great that you cannot fix a value without see-
ing and comparing.

Teas, Fish, Syrup, and in fact all classes of Groceries, run low and high
and prices are governed according to quality. Hence I will not price
my goods on paper, but I ask all wanting goods in this line to come
and see for themselves. I am going to sell for a small profit, without
it there is no pleasure. I cordially ask my old friends to come and
see me. I have done business in Richmond longer than other men
and have sold more goods than any one. I thank the good people for
past favors and ask still a share of the patronage. Respectfully,

John P. Quesenberry,

N. B.—Produce, such as Butter, Eggs, Potatoes, Apples, Bacon, Lard,
Chickens, &c., bought at market value will pay in cash or in barter.

A New Grocery Store

IN RICHMOND, MO.

C. W. KEEL,

Family Grocer,

—COME ONE, COME ALL.

This is a new man, with a complete New Stock, bought at Red
Rock prices for Cash, and will not be undersold. He will be
pleased to show his new goods, and see that all who buy get
the worth of their money. Recollect his goods are all new and
fresh. No old stock. Everything will be sold as low as the
lowest. All kinds of Country Produce wanted, for which he
will pay the highest price in cash or in Goods. Remember this
service regularly every Sabbath.

All Come and See if This is True.

East Side of Square, at Dates & Wall's Old Stand.

RICHMOND, MISSOURI.

JACKSON AND PATTON

RICHMOND, MISSOURI.

The Leading Dealers in all Kinds of

PINE LUMBER

IN RAY COUNTY,

Would respectfully call attention to the fact that they have on hand
a very large and a very complete stock of Pine Lumber of
every character, Mouldings, Lath, Shingles, Sash,
Glass, Blinds, Doors, &c. They also carry
at all times a full line of

Celebrated Shaker Paints,

The Best Mixed Paints made. All of which they propose to sell at
BOTTOM PRICES. If you need anything in our line
at any time don't fail to come and see us.

—FULL STOCK OF—

THE OLD RELIABLE BAIN WAGON

The Best Wagon on Wheels, as time and the severest
tests have proven. Also

SPRING WAGONS, BUGGIES,

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, Etc.

Indications all point to a mild winter
job work at the DEMOCRAT office, at
reasonable prices. Call and see sim-
ples.

"OLD RELIABLE."—DeLand's brand of
Soda continues to lead all others in pur-
ity and general excellence. Don't be in-
duced to try any other.

We never saw a nicer day for the
season than December 1st, 1883. Clear,
dry and pleasant, it almost made a per-
son feel like spring time.

If you have any decaying cabbage in
your cellar or about the house, remove
the lot at once, if you want to avoid
having sore throats or diphtheria in the
family.

Inflammation, coughs, catarrhs and
pneumonia, resulting from colds, may be
cured by Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It
allays the inflammation, removes the irri-
tation and soothes the organs, and
restores the sufferer to health.

It is astonishing that after so many
warnings by the local papers that the
lightning rod men can still find vic-
tims among the farmers in Missouri,
but such is the case. The latest vic-
tim reported live in Sullivan county.

A High Opinion.

Capt. John J. Dawson, late of the British
Army, residing on Love street, be-
tween Main and Second, this city, says
he used St. Jacobs Oil with the
greatest possible advantage when af-
flicted with rheumatism.—New Orleans
Times-Democrat.

Present indications point to a very
speedy completion of the grading on
the C. & K. C. extension from Sun-
derland. Besides the force at work on the
west side of Grand river, there are five
other forces distributed over the line
on the west side.—Herald.

Muskies are not in a hurry at build-
ing their house this fall. The ground
hog is digging his hole deep. Chicken
gizzards presage a green Christmas.
Corn husk are light. Plucked ducks
are thin feathered. The goose's breast
bone is very delicate. Tomatoes ripen
late. Catfish hides are not thick. If
there are not signs of a mild winter the
doubter is referred to Vennard & De-
Voe.

Brunswick:—Thos. Casey, a brakeman
on the Washburn, while switching at
De Witt, Monday evening, about 5
o'clock, got his foot caught in a frog
and being unable to extricate himself
the wheel passed over his left thigh,
mashing it and the lower part of his
abdomen to a pulp and almost disem-
boweling the poor fellow. Casey lingered
in great pain until 11 o'clock that
night, when his death took place. The
deceased lived in Moberly, but was well
known in this city. He was the main
support of a widowed mother and a
sister, and was universally liked by all
who knew him.

Sept. 24th, 1880

I have been sick for the past six years,
suffering from dyspepsia and general
weakness. I have used three bottles
of Hop Bitters, and they have done won-
ders for me. I am well and able to work
and eat and sleep well. I cannot say too
much for Hop Bitters.

AN EXCHANGE has the following: An
editor is a man who lives on what other
people owe him until he starves to
death. A subscriber is one who takes
a paper, says he is well pleased with it,
and tells everybody else he "ought to
subscribe." After he has subscribed
about seven years the editor writes to
him and asks him to let him have \$2.50,
and then the subscriber writes back to
the editor and tells him not to send his
old paper any more, for there is nothing
in it, and then the poor editor goes
and starves to death some more already.

Says the St. Joseph Gazette:—"The
high license law has had direct effect of
closing a goodly number of saloons, particu-
larly the smaller and inferior ones. Many
buildings that were formerly used for
saloon purposes have been converted into
feed stores, meat markets, shoe shops, etc., but the latest con-
version of a saloon building has been
into a church. On Frederick avenue,
in the eastern part of the city, a colored
minister has rented a neat frame
building occupied as a saloon, and with
commendable results. The church has
gained a congregation and is holding
services regularly every Sabbath."

No Grease for Him.

"When Greece her knees—Greece her
knees—Greece her knees," stammered an
embarrassed school-boy, forgetting the
nature of young manhood. It is
excessively restless. It is disturbed by
vague ambitions, by thirst for action,
by longing for excitement, by irresisti-
ble desire to touch life in manifold
ways. If you, mothers, rear your sons
so that there are no associations with the
repression of natural impulses, you
will be sure to throw them into the so-
ciety that in some measure can supply
the need of their hearts. They will
not go to the public houses at first for
love of liquor—very few people like
the taste of liquor; they go for the ani-
mated and hilarious companionship
they find there, which they discover
has so long ruled in their household,
and bring in mirth and good cheer. In-
vent occupations for your sons. Stimu-
late their ambition in worthy direc-
tions. While you make home their de-
light, fill them with higher purposes
than mere pleasures. Whether they
shall pass boyhood and enter upon man-
hood with refined tastes and noble am-
bitions depends on you. Believe it
possible, that with exertion and right
means, a mother may have more con-
trol over the destiny of her boys than
any other influence whatever.—Es.

DOV'T.

Marry a girl merely because you ad-
mire her mother.

Hate a dog simply because he be-
longs to your neighbor.

Play poker with a stranger, who has
only just learned to play the game.

Purchase Christmas presents with
money which belong to your creditors.

Go to church in a shabby suit and ex-
pect kind treatment from the sexton.

Buy things you don't need just be-
cause some greedy fellow ought to
trust you.

Imagine you are a good singer simply
because the neighbors don't shoot at
you when you practice.

Take a railroad journey simply be-
cause you happen to have an old ticket.

Think of the palace car porter's charges.

Order your Christmas turkey of a
marketman who has not yet been paid
for the one you got last year. He may
at the last moment disappoint you.

Expect old foggy, penny-wise, small
sales and big profit management to fur-
nish you with as good a paper at any
price as you can obtain where enter-
prise, young blood, fresh brain, tireless
energy and open-handed liberality are
daily and hourly combined.—Omaha
Bea.

HOW TO SAVE THE BOYS.

Women who have their sons to rear
and dread the demoralizing influence
of bad associates, ought to understand
the nature of young manhood. It is
excessively restless. It is disturbed by
vague ambitions, by thirst for action,
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ways. If you, mothers, rear your sons
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PECK'S BAD BOY AND HIS PA.

The old Kent and falls down on
a Rat Trap.

"Ah, here you are at last," said the
grocery man to the bad boy. "I was
afraid the change in the standard of
time would mix you up so you would
not come."

"O, you needn't ever be afraid that
I will get lost," said the boy, as he
used the key to open the door of the
advertisement at once.

A solemn old scientist printed the
fact that by bathing the feet in tepid
water a man could double his circula-
tion, and now all the editors are hav-
ing tanks fitted to their office stove.

Having been troubled with a very bad
cough for about two years and having
tried almost every cough mixture that
was ever made, I have found none that
has given me such great relief as Dr.
Hall's Cough Syrup and I earnestly re-
commend it to all afflicted.

RES. F. DUDMAN, 14 Park Pl. N. Y.

Lexington Intelligencer.—Mr. Rich-
ard Mathews, who called Wednesday, says
he took a very good trip to the house
as quick as possible. You see we
have been troubled with rats at our
house, and we tried poison, but they
got fat on it. We tried cats and the
rats drove the cats away. So pa
went down and got some steel traps
and set them around on the floor of
the basement. The floor is cement,
and just as smooth as can be, and me
and my chum go down there and
skate with our roller skates. This
morning I came down and wanted
to put on my skates. I told him he
couldn't skate, and then I should
think after his experience at the rink
last winter, when he pulled a girl all
to pieces grabbing at her to keep her
from falling, that he would try some
other amusement, but he said he
knew all about it, and he didn't want
no fool boy to try to tell him anything.
When 'man gets old and thinks he
knows it all there is no use trying to
argue with him, and so I unhooked my
skates and pulled them off and he
put them on. Well, he wobbled
around for a few minutes, like a feller
that has been drinking gin, and held
on to things till he thought he had got